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## SOCIALISTS ARE AROUSED

Will Endeavor to Secure Free-  
dom For Araujo.

**RETAIN CULLEN F. THOMAS**

Mexican Editor, in Federal Prison at  
Fort Leavenworth, Sentenced For  
Starting a Revolution Against His  
Government.

San Antonio, Feb. 24.—National So-  
cialists have launched a movement  
similar to that conducted in the Moyer-  
Haywood cases for the release from the  
federal prison at Fort Leavenworth of  
Antonio de P. Araujo, sentenced for  
starting the 1908 revolution against  
Mexico.

Fred W. Warren, editor of Appeal  
to Reason, who was in the city, an-  
nounces that Attorney Cullen F. Thom-  
as of Dallas will be employed to de-  
vise his entire time to the fight.

Araujo wrote a personal letter to  
Eugene V. Debs before being impris-  
oned and this appeal has resulted in  
the movement to gain his release. Mr.  
Araujo published a Mexican paper at  
Austin and severely criticized the Diaz  
government. His defense on the  
charge of violation of the neutrality  
laws was the right of the free press,  
upon which grounds the Socialists will  
attempt to secure his release. A few  
days remain in which an appeal may  
be taken to the federal circuit court.

## DOES MUCH DAMAGE.

All of Kentucky and Parts of Two  
Other States Deluged.

Louisville, Feb. 24.—The flood of  
rain which raged for twenty-four hours  
over nearly all of Kentucky and por-  
tions of Indiana and Tennessee has  
done thousands of dollars' damage in  
Louisville alone and causing the death  
of John Price, a negro, and the loss of  
over 500 head of cattle in and around  
this city. Every river and creek  
throughout the deluged territory is  
bank full and many have overflowed.  
The damage in the Green river dis-  
trict and along the streams in the  
western part of Kentucky is heavy.  
The lower Ohio is rising rapidly at all  
points and a big flood is predicted.

## Water Seven Feet Deep.

Louisville, Feb. 25.—Taylorville, on  
Salt river, forty miles from Louisville,  
is waterbound, water being seven feet  
deep in the principal street. There is  
a shortage of food and no trains can  
be gotten within ten miles of the place.  
Many families are reported in peril.  
Fifty persons sought refuge on the  
roof of a schoolhouse.

## Adverse to Thomas.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The case of  
Marcellus Thomas, a negro, under sen-  
tence of death on the charge of killing  
two men in Harris county, Texas, was  
decided by the supreme court of the  
United States against Thomas.

As the grand jury by which the in-  
dictment was returned against him  
contained no man of his own race he  
charged that he had been discrimi-  
nated against, contrary to the constitu-  
tion of the United States, and, there-  
fore, asked the supreme court to in-  
tervene in his behalf. The court re-  
fused to reverse the decision of the  
Texas court.

## Serious Rival in the East.

New York, Feb. 24.—In addition to  
extensive operations in the southwest,  
the Texas company promises to be-  
come a serious rival of the Standard  
Oil company in the east. A large tract  
of land has been purchased at Bay-  
one, N. J., says the Herald, and pre-  
parations have been made for the erec-  
tion of several large tanks to supply  
the eastern market. The site chosen  
for the plant is not far from one  
which is now being established by the  
Standard. The aggressive policy of  
the Texas company is ascribed to  
John W. Gates, who has become a di-  
rector in it.

## Declares Disbelief.

New Orleans, Feb. 24.—A. P. Schell,  
special United States inspector, who  
recently ran to the ground an alleged  
Chinese smuggling conspiracy on the  
gulf coast, declares his disbelief in  
the report that Chinamen were sent  
in a government bonded car from Algiers,  
La., to San Luis Obispo, Cal. It is in-  
spector Schell's theory that the men  
were put into the car somewhere close  
to the Texas border. A rigid inquiry  
into the case has been instituted.

## MORE ACCUSATIONS.

Colonel Cooper Alleged to Be a  
Defaulter and Embezzler.

Nashville, Feb. 24.—There was the  
usual rush for seats Wednesday morn-  
ing when the Cooper-Sharp trial was  
resumed. There was a delay, due to  
conference of counsel for the defense,  
but finally they pushed into the bar,  
followed by defendants and a host of  
relatives and friends. General Wash-  
ington nodded to Colonel Cooper to  
take the witness stand.

Colonel Cooper testified that the  
meeting between Robin, Sharp and  
himself with Carmack was purely ac-  
cidental. "When I first saw Carmack  
coming up I thought I would wait. Then  
the thought occurred that it might  
carry some significance so I walked  
toward him. I said: 'Mr. Carmack.'  
He threw up his head and stepped in  
front of Mrs. Eastman, putting her  
between us and stepping towards the  
curbing. He was five or six feet from  
the curb when I called his name. He  
had a pistol in his hand and passed  
in front of Mrs. Eastman. I had made  
no hostile movement.

"I did not say, 'I have the drop on  
you,' because I didn't have the drop  
on him. Senator Carmack got around  
a telegraph pole and at the same time  
Robin got in between us. In a second  
Carmack shot between the poles and  
Robin got around them. Then for the  
first time I saw Robin's revolver and  
saw him shoot."

Cooper said he did not then have his  
pistol out and did not draw it until  
Robin was shot. He then saw Car-  
mack was down and put his revolver  
back in his pocket and went to the aid  
of his son. Colonel Cooper stated that  
five shots were fired. Carmack shot  
the first, the report from Carmack's  
revolver being louder than those from  
Robin's.

With a few other questions the wit-  
ness was turned over to Attorney Fitz-  
hugh for cross-examination.

The witness was questioned as to  
the charge of appropriating to his own  
use \$351, the proceeds of the sale of  
land while acting as master in chan-  
cery of Maury county, and if he did  
not confess judgment. All the attor-  
neys for the defense argued against  
the admission of the charges with  
great vigor and Colonel Walker walked  
over to the witness chair.

After the jury retired, on demand of  
the defense, Attorney Fitzhugh said  
the state proposed to show that Colonel  
Cooper was a defaulter and embezzler  
to the extent of \$100,000 and thus show  
the jury just how much credit they  
should place in his words. "We pro-  
pose to go further and prove by court  
records that his own brother came  
into court and admitted the defendant  
a defaulter. We propose to show he  
embezzled from estates of widows and  
orphans, from the county and state  
and records kept by him will prove it.  
But there is a further reason for this  
question. We have heard of the col-  
onel's deep sense of honor, how he was  
stung by a few sarcastic editorials. But  
we will show he was openly ac-  
cused of embezzlement and yet never  
said the town is not big enough for  
me and for the man who made the  
charges."

Attorneys for the defense stated in  
their argument which followed the  
statement of editorials introduced to  
show defendant's state of mind and  
not as a justification for the killing.

For two hours the attorneys argued.  
Finally Judge Hart suggested the state  
turn over the charges against Colonel  
Cooper to the defense for examination  
and that adjournment be taken until  
2 o'clock. The suggestion was adopted.

## PLUNGES OVER CLIFF.

Twenty-Five Persons Killed and Forty  
Others Are Wounded.

Quayaquil, Ecuador, Feb. 24.—A pas-  
senger train Wednesday was thrown  
over a cliff 100 feet high at a point  
near Rio Panaba and crashed to the  
bottom of the ravine. Twenty-five per-  
sons were killed and forty wounded.  
The accident was caused by a dis-  
placed rail.

## Attends Nephew's Funeral.

New York, Feb. 24.—President Roose-  
velt, Mrs. Roosevelt and daughter,  
Miss Ethel, attended the funeral of  
Stewart Robinson, the president's  
nephew, here Wednesday.

## Two Oklahoma Measures Pass.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The following  
measures were passed by the house:  
Providing for the sale of timber on al-  
lotted Indian lands; authorizing home-  
steads of Osage Indians in Oklahoma  
to consist of land designated from any  
one or more of their first three allot-  
ment sections taken under the act of  
June 28, 1906.

## ACCEPTS INVITATION.

House Sets Dallas Visit Dates  
For March 6 and 7.

Austin, Feb. 24.—The house adopted  
a resolution accepting the invitation  
of Dallas citizens to visit that city—  
not on next Saturday and Sunday  
however, as the invitation of the sen-  
ate provides, but on next Saturday and  
Sunday week, March 6 and 7.

There was considerable debate over  
the resolution. The invitation was read,  
fixing the date for leaving Austin Fri-  
day night, March 4. Cureton offered  
a substitute making the date Friday  
night, Feb. 26, but withdrew it.

Representatives Cox, McCallum,  
Crawford and Lively urged the ac-  
ceptance of the resolution.

Hamilton of Childress opposed its  
acceptance on the ground that the  
"crop of bills in the house was badly  
in need of grass and needed working  
out."

Speaker Kennedy, from the floor,  
thought that since the house had ac-  
cepted the hospitality of Houston and  
Galveston, and signified its intention  
of going to San Antonio and would  
likely accept an invitation to go to Fort  
Worth, he saw no reason why it should  
not visit "the magnificent city of Dal-  
las." As for the amount of business  
in the house, he wanted to assure the  
members that if they would follow him  
and assist him for the next two weeks  
there would be no unfinished business.  
The resolution was then adopted by a  
vote of 93 to 27.

Some of the members who voted "no"  
hastily changed to "aye" before the  
result was announced, explaining that  
they were afraid they would draw an  
upper berth by voting not to accept.

In the house Friday offered a res-  
olution prohibiting the house from in-  
future inviting actors and actresses to  
address law makers, it having been  
done on a few occasions. Referred to  
committee on rules.

The house passed to engrossment  
Senator Brachfield's bill requiring that  
railroad locomotives be equipped with  
automatic ash pans.

Bill of Senator Terrell of Bowie  
establishing an optometry board, after  
considerable discussion, was killed by  
having the enacting clause stricken  
out.

In this bill Johnson of Galveston  
said that the passage of this bill would  
only mean that the governor would  
have another board to appoint which  
he could fill with his political pets.

The house passed to engrossment  
Senator Masterson's bill ratifying and  
confirming the causeway contract be-  
tween Galveston county and railways  
of Galveston.

It killed the bill by McGowan giving  
right of eminent domain to manufac-  
turers of electricity.

## ANTI-TRUST AMENDMENT.

Increases Maximum Penalty in Accord-  
ance With Supreme Court Ruling.

Austin, Feb. 24.—The proceedings  
were calm and dignified in the senate  
Wednesday, in marked contrast with  
the previous day.

Senator Hudspeth secured final  
passage of the senate bill providing  
additional compensation for district  
judges as necessary traveling expenses  
while on official duty after an amend-  
ment had been adopted that hotel bills  
shall not be more than \$2 per day.

The senate next took up as the spe-  
cial order the senate bill to provide  
change of venue in land suits to re-  
quire land suits to be brought in coun-  
ties where the land lies instead of  
where defendant to the suit lives.  
By vote of 16 to 11 senate refused to  
order its engrossment, thereby killing  
it.

Sensors Meachum and Mayfield in-  
troduced a most important bill, amend-  
ing the anti-trust act of 1903. This  
bill provides that the penalty of \$50  
per day provided for under the act of  
1903 for violations of the anti-trust  
law shall be increased to a maximum  
of \$1,500 per day in accordance with  
the decision of the United States su-  
preme court to the effect that \$1,500  
per day was not too much in cases  
of magnitude like the Waters-Pierce  
Oil company. The proposed measure  
also gives the attorney general power  
to institute suit in any county in the  
state and not confined to Travis  
county. It also seeks to regulate fees  
of county attorneys in such cases so  
as to cure the difficulty now in con-  
structing the acts of 1899 and 1903, pend-  
ing before the supreme court.

Other bills introduced were: By Kel-  
lie: To provide for a new charter for  
Beaumont.

By Sturgeon: To amend the local  
option law so as to exempt from its  
operation wholesale druggists selling  
alcohol to retailers or dispensaries.

By Meachum and Watson: To pro-  
vide for creating state levee and  
drainage boards to construct levees,  
etc., to prevent overflows.

Just before the senate adjourned  
Senator Thomas sent up a statement  
and moved that it be printed in the  
journal to the effect that if he had  
been present Tuesday he would have  
voted against the Dallas invitation, as  
he thinks it will have effect on mem-  
bers in connection with the passage of  
the anti-race track bill.

After a parliamentary tangle of  
half an hour by vote of 13 to 11 the  
senate refused the request of Thomas  
and rejecting his statement from the  
journal.

## Street Car Kills Man.

Pittsburg, Feb. 24.—An unknown  
man was run over and killed by a  
street car.

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## Honors Texans.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 24.—Texans  
were honored by the Dry Farming  
congress in the selection of Professor  
E. C. Chilcott, in charge of the gov-  
ernment experiment station at Dalhart  
and Amarillo, chairman of the resolu-  
tions committee, and H. G. Hays of  
Hereford was appointed on the nomi-  
nations committee. Professor H. P.  
Atwater of Houston, is in charge of  
the Texas exhibit, which attracts  
much attention. E. H. Morris, gov-  
ernor of Montana, was elected presi-  
dent. G. A. Martin of El Paso is on  
the executive board.

## Shot From Ambush.

San Antonio, Feb. 24.—Shot from  
ambush while walking home, Jesus  
Martinez, a young Mexican, may die  
as a result of a neck wound. His  
wound is severe.

## Fatal Fall From Window.

Cumberland, Md., Feb. 24.—Victor  
Reynolds fell from a third-story win-  
dow of the Cavanaugh building. He  
lingered two days.

## Rusty Nail Causes Death.

Cumberland, Md., Feb. 24.—Mrs. So-  
phia Schaeffer stepped on a rusty  
nail some days ago. Death has re-  
sulted.

## Was Lying on Track.

Connellsville, Pa., Feb. 24.—John  
Clauson while lying on the track was  
fatally hurt by a car.

## Hailed With Satisfaction.

New Orleans, Feb. 24.—The action of  
the secretary of war in issuing in-  
structions for the restoration of the name  
of Hon. Jefferson Davis on Cabin John  
Bridge, near Washington, was hailed  
with much satisfaction among mem-  
bers of the Confederate Southern Mem-  
orial association. It is asserted in  
was that organization rather than the  
Daughters of the Confederacy which  
inaugurated the movement to have the  
name of the southern leader put back  
in the place where it had been cho-  
sened off.

## Acquire Cattle and Lease.

San Angelo, Tex., Feb. 24.—W. L.  
Slaughter and N. D. Blackstone of Ok-  
lahoma bought 3,500 head of cattle and  
ranch lease in Crockett and Blum  
counties from Hayden & Rucker. The  
lease applies on 50,000 acres of uni-  
versity lands and 5,000 acres of pat-  
ented lands. Price is \$100,000.

## New Town of "Katy."

Fort Worth, Feb. 24.—Four miles  
south of this city the Katy railway  
is building a town, named "Katy." It  
starts with 500 inhabitants. Houses  
are being erected. The citizens will be  
chiefly employees of that railroad.

## More "Dry" Indiana Counties.

Indianapolis, Feb. 24.—As the result  
of local option elections held in five  
counties Tuesday forty-one out of  
ninety-two counties of Indiana have  
declared against the saloon. Elections  
in seven more counties are to be held  
this week.

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## THE BEY'S GUEST.

He Was Ready For the Emergency and  
Conquered the African.

A show of force is often the best  
kind of diplomacy. A writer in the  
Paris Temps tells a story of the French  
admiral Dupetit-Thouars, who had  
been entrusted with the mission of  
exact reparation from an African  
bey who had insulted a French consul.  
As Dupetit-Thouars' demands were  
supported by the forcible argument of  
loaded cannon, the bey acknowledged  
that he had been too hasty and pro-  
fused profuse apologies. He even in-  
vited the admiral to his table and had  
a sumptuous repast prepared for his  
guest.

The consul warned the admiral to be  
on his guard.

"The bey is inclined to be malicious,"  
said he, "and when he strokes his  
beard and smiles you may be sure that  
he is concocting some mischief."

"We shall see," was Dupetit-Thouars'  
reply.

He reached the bey's palace in good  
time. Profuse compliments and salu-  
tations were exchanged. All at once  
the admiral's foot met some soft,  
hairy substance lying on the carpet un-  
der the table. He bent down and saw  
a huge lion showing his formidable  
teeth. The bey smiled and stroked his  
beard.

Dupetit-Thouars did not wince, but  
called his dragoman.

"My pistols," was all he said.

The servant saluted, retired and  
brought back a pair of pistols on a  
silver tray. The admiral took them  
and placed them on the table before  
him. But the bey, still smiling, con-  
tinued to stroke his patriarchal beard.

"Tell the commander," he said to  
the dragoman, "that if those pistols are  
for the purpose of blowing out my  
lion's brains they are quite insufficient  
and perfectly useless."

Then, like a skilled fencer counter-  
ing his opponent's thrust, after the  
bey's ironical advice had been trans-  
lated Dupetit-Thouars replied:

"Tell his highness that my pistols are  
not there to kill his lion, but to blow  
his own brains out at the first move-  
ment of this objectionable carpet."

Gravely, but a little pale, the man  
interpreted.

The smile died away on the bey's  
lips, and he no longer stroked his  
beard.

"My lion," said he, "is too well train-  
ed even to scratch one of my guests,  
but since he is not wanted he shall be  
sent away."

At a word from the bey the lion  
slowly and heavily left the room, like  
an obedient dog.

## Woman's Needs.

A woman in a divorce case was  
asked why she bought adornments in-  
stead of necessities. Who shall de-  
cide what are necessities for women?  
—Chicago News.



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### CORNER STONE LAYING.

Masonic Lodge of Bryan Aided in Ancient and Honored Ceremony.

The corner stone of the new engineering building being erected on the campus of the A. & M. College of Texas was laid yesterday morning with impressive ceremony. The exercises were conducted by Sam P. Cochran of Dallas, acting grand master of the State Grand Lodge of Masons, assisted by members of Brazos Union Lodge No. 129, of Bryan.

The following were the acting officers:

Sam P. Cochran acting grand master; W. E. Saunders acting deputy grand master; Dr. P. M. Raynor acting grand senior warden; George Grupe acting grand junior warden; W. S. Wilson Jr. acting grand treasurer; Andrew Moses acting grand marshal; Dr. Isaac Alexander acting grand prelate.

The exercises were without feature except that Mr. Cochran called attention to the presence of Dr. Elliot of Harvard and asked him to lay some of the mortar that would hold the stone in place. The aged educator stepped forward with a quick step that would do credit to one of younger years, and when he had finished the task, Mr. Cochran said, "Dr. Elliot shows that he is a man of operation as well as one of speculation."

The new building will be known as the building of Civil Engineering. It is located about 170 feet south of the main building between the main and the assembly hall and between Foster hall and the Agricultural Building. It is 125x64 feet in size, three stories and a basement.

The basement is to be occupied by laboratories for the departments of electrical and civil engineering, each having equal room.

The first floor will be devoted to electrical engineers for laboratories, class rooms, instrument rooms and offices for those in charge of the department.

The second floor will be devoted to civil engineering for lecture rooms, drafting room, library and offices for instructors.

On the third floor will be the lecture room, drawing rooms and library for architectural engineering and offices for the head of the department and those assisting him.

On the roof will be the blue print room.

It is the first practical fire proof building on the grounds and it marks another departure, as there are no galvanized iron trimmings. The ornamentation will be of artificial stone made from crushed granite by the Dallas Cement Stone Company which has a plant on the grounds and is making all ornament here.

The building will be steam heated from the Central Heating plant which the legislature is asked this year to install at the College.

The following is on the front of the stone:

Civil Engineering  
1909

Board of Directors  
K. K. Leggett, President  
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W. P. Sebastian  
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F. E. Geisecke, College Architect

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### Harvey Happenings

Planting corn has begun in earnest, also gardening. Our people are wearing a smile of hope and good cheer. Everybody feels that a bountiful crop is in store. Our people raise everything from black-eyed peas to the best of corn and cotton.

Rev. Thomas, pastor of the Free Will church at this place, filled his regular appointment since our last writing.

Rev. W. T. Wood preached at Wellborn Sunday, and Rev. Foster at Steep Hollow.

Miss Feenie Graham visited her parents on Rock Prairie Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Thurston Cole and Miss Bertha Stuart of your city, visited Mrs. Alice Cole Sunday.

Mrs. John Hensarling and children visited Harvey friends Sunday.

Mr. Arestus Jones of Allen Academy, visited his parents Friday and Saturday. Mr. Forest Jones, also of the Academy, accompanied by his young friend Mr. McKenzie, visited Harvey and went on a hunt to the river.

Mr. Frank Turner visited your fair city Saturday.

Prof. Parker visited our school last week.

The entertainments given at the hospitable home of Messrs. Jones and Graham last week, were largely attended and highly appreciated by the young folks of our community.

We learn that Mr. Pink Barron of Rock Prairie has purchased land here and will build in the near future and move to Harvey with his family. We assure them they will receive a hearty welcome by all. They will be an addition to our community worthy of note.

At our last Literary meeting we had an interesting debate on the question Resolved that education does more to mold a character than nature. The affirmative was represented by Mr. Frank Turner and Miss Alice Jones; the negative by Mr. Shelby Goodman and Miss Graham. Both sides presented strong arguments but the victory was won by the negative.

Miss Ella Ray Boyle visited Mr. Dr. Jones since our last writing.

Correspondent

### Elegant Goods for Skirts.

There is no part of a ladies wardrobe she is more particular about, or admires more than beautiful dress skirts. The beauty of the skirt however depends largely upon the material of which it is made, and Coulter has just received a large assortment of the most beautiful goods in the city. He has the beautiful Galateas, Flaxons and French Cambrics of the very latest shades and colors. They are now on display and the ladies are cordially invited to call and look them over.

### Increasing the Use of Cotton.

In keeping with the efforts of the people of the South originated through the Farmers Union, to use cotton products whenever possible, the Bryan Cotton Oil & Fertilizer Company is putting their Star Brand cotton and corn fertilizer in cotton sacks when called for. They are also using twine made of cotton altogether.

### New Arrivals.

A very complete assortment of new spring dresses of Taffeta, Pongees, Foulards, Poplins and Linens in all new shades. Nellie H. Ballard, Agent, Levy Bros., Houston, Texas.

### THE WEATHER.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 24.—Tonight air, with frost; Thursday fair; warmer.—Cline.

### Cakes and Candy.

I have a nice line of fresh home made Fruit cakes and nice fancy cakes and candy.

### HORSES AND DONKEYS.

Early Habits That Domestication Have Not Eradicated.

A curious question in evolution was once put to a scientist prominent in the service of the government. "Why is it," some one asked, "that horses shy and donkeys do not?"

The answer was to the following effect:

The ancestors of the horse were accustomed to roam over the plains, where every tuft of grass or bush might conceal an enemy waiting in ambush. In these circumstances the must have time and again saved the lives by quickly starting back or else suddenly jumping to one side without warning some strange object appeared to them. The habit must have indeed been a strong one, seeing that so many years of domestication have not eradicated it.

On the other hand, the donkey is descended from animals that lived among the hills, with the usual precipices and dangerous declivities, and from these conditions, it would appear, there resulted its slowness and sure footedness. The donkey's ancestors were not, then, so liable to sudden attacks from wild beasts and snakes. Moreover, sudden and wild starts would have been positively dangerous to the donkey's forbears. Consequently they learned to avoid the characteristic trick of the horse. The habit of eating thistles, peculiar to the donkey, seems also to have been inherited from its ancestors. In the dry, barren localities they inhabited there was often very little food; therefore they learned to eat the hard, dry and even prickly plants and undergrowth when nothing else presented itself.—New York Tribune.

### Won With Whips.

According to Herodotus, while the Scythians were away on a long campaign their slaves took the opportunity to rebel and seize all their masters' property. The latter on their return promptly attacked them, but were continually defeated until at last one of them hit on the brilliant idea of attacking the slaves with whips only. That, he said, would remind them of their origin and so cow them that they would never dare to stand. The Scythians followed his counsel, and it fell out as he had predicted. When the slaves beheld their masters riding down upon them flourishing the terrible knotted whips they knew so well they threw down their arms and fled.

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Still hold a place of their own. We have them in all the new shades, 36 in. at

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These must be seen to be appreciated.

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Printed Dress Linene 15c a yd.

The material for an inexpensive suit and skirts, all shades with hair line stripes.

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Novelty Cambric 15c a yd.

A new cloth for Tub dresses for ladies, misses and children.

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Flaxon 25c and 35c a yd.

The widely advertised new cloth for dainty white dresses, lingerie waist, etc.

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White Checked Pure Linen 50c a yd.

This is one of the newest fabrics for shirt waists. We also have a line of White Checked Muslin from.....15c to 25c a yd.

Our stock of Sheer White Goods is complete in every detail. We invite comparison in quality and prices.

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### Laces and Embroideries

Our Spring stock received. Dainty match sets, etc., etc., etc.

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### Nets, Nets, Nets.

Tucked, embroidered, plain, the most popular material for yokes and sleeves for silk dresses, and net waists so much in vogue.

Band Trimming—Colored Cluny, White Cluny, Baby Irish, Etc.

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### The Royal Worcester Corset

is the acknowledged BEST Corset for ALL figures. We have them in styles to give the hipless effect, extreme long back and hips.....\$1.00 to \$3.00 Bon Ton.....\$4.00 Royal Adjusto for full figures, gives slender, hipless appearance to the stout women \$3.00 & \$5.00

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### Our Muslin Underwear Department

is full of fresh, crisp undermuslins, made in dainty Nainsook, Checked Muslin, etc., lace and embroidery trimmed. Prices most reasonable, quality and style to suit the most fastidious.

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### ANNOUNCEMENT COLUMN.

The Eagle is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the action of the City Democratic primary to be held March 1st, 1909:

For City Marshal  
C. C. SHELburne.  
T. P. BOYETT.

For City Secretary  
JOHN B. HINES.

For Alderman  
W. S. WILSON JR.  
EUGENE EDGE  
J. E. COVEY  
H. A. BURGER.

BRYAN, TEXAS, FEBRUARY 25, '09.

The senate has turned down statehood for New Mexico and Arizona—they can't prove that they are reliably Republican.

How long will it take the New York man who invested \$35,000 in a soda fountain to get his money back at five cents a glass.

The number of people who would be benefitted by the work cure is greater than the number of those who need the rest cure.

Socialism promises every man an office but it doesn't promise to give every man the office he wants. So there would still be trouble.

The successful merchant studies the market and buys his goods accordingly. The successful farmer studies the market and plants his crops accordingly.

Speaker Kennedy's declaration of his intention to take an aggressive part in the proceedings indicates that he wants to be the Joe Cannon of the Texas house.

The eagerness of the supporters of the Campbell administration to drop the textbook investigation will make a bad impression. They can't afford to stifle inquiry.

The skies wept over that naval review at Hampton Roads, but the exchange of taffy between pigmy men proceeded in spite of the downpour of nature's tears.

In a few more weeks the crop of spuds will begin to move and to exchange them for dollars will be as easy as falling off a log. America is importing Irish potatoes from Europe now.

This season's costumes of fashionable gentlemen will be pronounced ladylike and those of the other sex more mannish than ever. Is it possible the era of no distinction in dress is approaching?

There are some citizens of Bryan who plant trees on every Arbor day. Some of these planted gardens also, and some planted gardens who planted no trees. Everyone who did either contributed to the general welfare.

Physical force may, to some extent, control the conduct but it cannot change the heart; it may restrain but it cannot reform. It never made anyone morally better but by exciting opposition and resentment it has made many worse.

Kansas has long possessed an unenviable reputation as a land of freak legislation. The latest is a proposition to require that before the issue of a marriage license the prospective bride shall present satisfactory evidence that she is an accomplished cook.

Party lines in the Tennessee legislature were wiped out and there was a general love feast when it came to a vote on a proposition to give each member \$150 extra. When it comes to voting money into his own pocket the average politician forgets every thing else.

An abundant water supply will be worth to Bryan whatever it costs, be that much or little. It is a necessity—a sine qua non—without which Bryan as Bryan is and hopes to be, cannot continue to exist. Still it is eminently desirable that it be procured without unnecessary expense and, above all, without graft.

The Beaumont Enterprise is eminently correct in the opinion that "the greatest of American industries is the conversion of boys and girls

into educated men and women." Bryan has more such factories than any other town in Texas and the product of every one of them is in demand because it is of the best quality.

The senate ought not to have fooled away time with spuerle trifles as that Thomas investigation, but conducting the so-called investigation behind closed doors is worse than foolishness. This secrecy has created a suspicion, where none existed before, that there is really and truly something rotten in Denmark.

There is an impression abroad in the world that in Texas a red headed woman can marry whom she likes and it is impossible to beat a red headed man when he runs for office, consequently Texas is threatened with an inundation of red-headed, immigrants of both sexes. George Bailey of the Houston Post is responsible for the error and ought to be held accountable for its consequences. The enormity of the offense demands a punishment combining all known methods of torture and the legislature should offer a prize of a million dollars for a competition in new and more excruciating inventions.

### THE SHIPWRECKER.

His Life Made Up of Hardships, Adventures and Accidents.

The career of the shipwrecker consists of a series of hardships and adventures and accidents and narrow escapes from the first day he enlists with a big wrecking company up to the time he is brought ashore from the grim ship he calls "home" crippled or fatally injured. Of all the professions that demand heavy toll of human life none, not even mining or powder making, is as dangerous as the one of these wreckers. Every year these daring men, who brave storm and wave and tempest to save the stranded liner, to raise the sunken ocean greyhound, to rescue the ship impaled upon rocks and, if nothing else, to save what valuable cargo may be removed from helpless wrecks, meet death by the score. Many of them, exposed of ten for days and nights to the icy blasts of winter seas, to driving blizzards and to drenching storms that bite to the marrow, succumb to pneumonia. Others at work on the pitching, tossing barges have legs or arms shattered during the risky operations of removing masts or of slinging wrecking pumps or other castings that weigh tons. Others have hands or feet so dreadfully frozen that these must be amputated, and still others are wiped out of existence after suffering hours of untold agony and exposure before the eyes of their helpless comrades.—Appleton's Magazine.

### HICCUGHS.

A Simple Treatment by Which They May Be Cured.

Did you ever take nine swallows of water to cure the hiccoughs? Do you remember the time some one scared the hiccoughs away by telling you of a whipping due for some meanness?

Well, science has been studying hiccoughs and caught the hiccoughs by the "nape of the neck." The nine swallows of water had a little science in it, and so did the scare cure. The scientific hiccough cure consists in pressing down to number six the nerve that comes to the stomach, heart, lungs and brain, the pneumogastric nerve. The pressure partially and locally paralyzes this nerve and of necessity the hiccoughing must cease.

Have the hiccoughing patient sit down and lie at ease, with the muscles of the neck relaxed as much as possible. Grasp both sides of the neck somewhat toward the back part and press down steadily and as hard as the subject may permit for about one minute, having the patient work the head from side to side. Within about one minute the nerve will be paralyzed and rested, and the spasmodic motion will cease. It may require longer pressure in some cases, but the result is cure if patience is maintained.—Ohio State Journal.

### Ripening Bananas.

It is a familiar fact that bananas are imported green, but it came as a new thing to a visitor to the banana district in Colombia to find that bananas are not permitted to ripen on the plant even down there. They are cut and set to hang somewhere until they wither ripe, as the phrase is. Bananas do not have to be yellow to be ripe. That is only the color of the skin when it has dried up. To the person who is accustomed to eating bananas only when they are yellow it seems odd to peel them when they are green and find that they are perfectly ripe within and fit to eat.—New York Sun.

### The Prisoner's Retort.

It is a prison chaplain's duty to give a departing prisoner good advice and to exhort him to be a decent and honorable man in the future. In the course of one of these interviews a chaplain said, "Now, my friend, I hope you'll never have to come back to a place like this."

The prisoner looked at him thoughtfully and then asked, "I say, chaplain, you draw a salary here, don't you?" When the chaplain replied in the affirmative the prisoner remarked, "Well, say, if me and the other fellows didn't keep coming back you'd be out of a job."

Tyler is to have a Trades day every month.

### TALK OF THE TOWN.

Nearly Every one in Albion, Mich., Praises Mi-o-na, the Money-Back Cure for Indigestion.

Albion, Mich.—The people in Albion are elated to an unusual extent because of the many and remarkable cures which have lately been made by Mi-o-na, a dyspepsia cure with a world-wide reputation. Everybody is endorsing Mi-o-na. Here is what some respected citizens say:

Mrs. E. C. Cass says: "Mi-o-na cured me of a stomach trouble that had bothered me a long time."

W. H. Mott says: "I had doctored for months without help. I used Mi-o-na and since using it three years ago I have been free from the distress."

Mrs. Emma Overly says: "For months I had dyspepsia, bad stomach distress, pains and nausea. Nothing I used relieved or cured till I used Mi-o-na."

E. J. Jenkins, the druggist in Bryan, sells the wonderful dyspepsia cure Mi-o-na for 50 cents a large box and he thinks so well of it, that he will give your money back if it doesn't cure.

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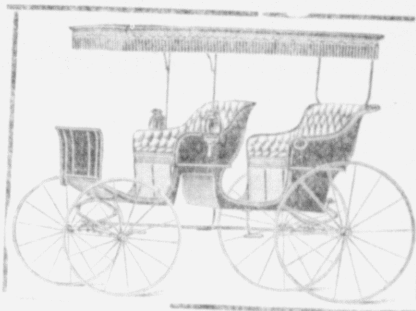
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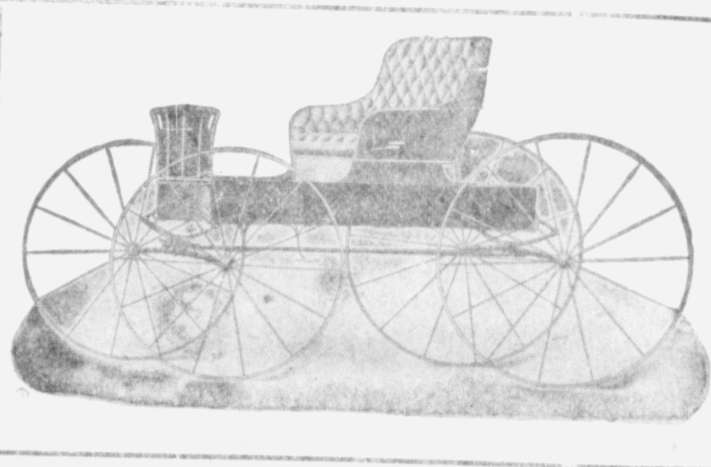
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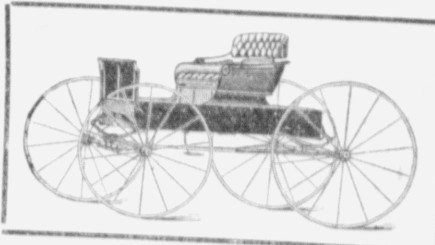
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##### H. & T. C. Schedule.

No. 3 North bound.....1:38 p.m.  
No. 5 North bound.....12:46 a.m.  
No. 2 South bound.....3:40 p.m.  
No. 6 South bound.....2:48 a.m.

##### I. & G. N. Schedule.

No. 14 North bound.....12:58 p.m.  
No. 15 South bound.....4:11 p.m.

#### LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

The boys are looking for you at the  
"Cozy" Theatre.

Sid Smith of Steep Hollow was in  
the city Wednesday.

Howard Mike of Cameron is visit-  
ing relatives in this city.

For Sale or Rent, the H. H. Henry  
place. Apply to J. V. Brogdon.

E. J. Borecky was in the city yester-  
day from his home near College.

Miss Sullia Conn of Houston, is the  
guest of her sister, Mrs. W. F. Gibbs.

Pure blood S. C. White Leghorn  
eggs, \$1.00 per 13. Geo. A. Adams

P. L. Barron and J. B. Carroll of  
Rock Prairie, were in the city yester-  
day.

L. S. Williams and George Williams  
of Harvey, were in the city Wednes-  
day.

Wanted to buy two or three ponies,  
must be cheap. See John McCorqu-  
dale.

For Sale—Pure blood Buff Orping-  
ton eggs, \$1.50 per 15. Geo. W.  
Smith.

Miss Ethel Musgraves of Palacios,  
is visiting Mrs. L. A. Swanwick in  
this city.

R. R. Keith and Homer Vaughn  
were over yesterday from Grimes  
county.

Mrs. S. J. Sheffield returned yester-  
day from a visit to Mrs. H. Sheffield  
in Galveston.

For Sale—My home corner Dallas  
and Fannin Sts., fronting H. G. Rhodes.  
W. F. Gibbs.

Mrs. J. T. Hines left yesterday for  
Oklahoma City to visit her daughter  
Mrs. C. E. Stickle.

Tonight—best yet at Cozy—laughs,  
songs, jokes, dances—by ten black-  
faced minstrel boys.

J. H. Wade of Welborn, was a pleas-  
ant caller at the Eagle office while in  
the city Wednesday.

The big "Two in One" sale closes  
Saturday night. Don't wait, come to-  
day. Wilson & Derden.

White Wyandott eggs for sale. The  
popular chicken; \$1.00 for 15. W. E.  
Graham, Bryan, Route 4.

Mrs. Eugene Reynolds and children  
returned to Somerville yesterday after  
visiting relatives in this city.

J. C. Harrison, merchant and post-  
master at Keith, Grimes county, was  
in Bryan on business yesterday.

Pure Plymouth Rock and Brown  
Leghorn eggs for sale. Per setting  
of 15, \$1.00. Mrs. H. T. Lewis, Bryan.

Dr. J. Zulch and Tom Wren of Zulch  
were in Bryan yesterday transacting  
business with the merchants of this  
city.

Frank Fickey of Cedar creek, was in  
the city yesterday with a fine load  
of pork which he disposed of at a good  
price.

Come out and laugh and enjoy your-  
self tonight at Cozy Theatre. Ten  
blackfaced comedians will furnish  
the fun.

Mr. Arch Goodwin of Providence,  
has been appointed by Sheriff Conlee  
as Deputy Sheriff and Jailor and has  
entered upon his duties.

There will be a tea given on Thurs-  
day afternoon at the residence of Mrs.  
Tyler Haswell by Mrs. Haswell and  
Mrs. Seth Mooring for the benefit of  
the Episcopal church. Everybody in-  
vited to attend.

S. B. Buchanan returned yesterday  
from a visit to San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Scardino left yester-  
day for a visit to New Orleans.

Miss Weller returned to her home  
at La Grange yesterday after a pleas-  
ant visit to the Misses Wetter.

Miss Viola Dixon returned to Mill-  
can yesterday after visiting Mrs. Mat-  
tie Scrimshire and Miss Lena Yeager.

Mrs. Mattie Hall returned yesterday  
from a visit to Cameron. She was  
accompanied home by her sister Mrs.  
Will S. Adams and Miss Hazel Adams.

Just three more days and our big  
"Two in One" sale will close. Come  
today and save 15 to 25 per cent in all  
departments. Wilson & Derden.

I have an extraordinary bargain in a  
secondhand No. 3 Oliver Typewriter,  
which is in fine condition. This offer  
will stand only for a few days. Price  
\$30.00. Geo. A. Adams.

A. J. Wagner & Co. have a change  
in their ad on the front page of this  
paper and also a new ad in another  
place. Their story is full of interest  
to the purchasing public and the at-  
tention of all is directed to it.

The Young People's society of the  
Christian church, has arranged with  
the B. A. C. Minstrel boys to put on  
an entertainment at the Cozy theatre  
Thursday night for the benefit of both  
societies. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

Fun and plenty of it tonight at the  
"Cozy." The "Alabama Blossom,"  
"Georgia Sunflower," Texas Nightin-  
gale, "Long Tail Man of Minstrels"

and six other funny comedians will  
see to it.

The pupils of Miss Ada Board's  
sixth grade at the East Side school,  
will give a Longfellow entertainment  
this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The pub-  
lic is cordially invited.

Attention of the readers of the  
Eagle is directed to the ad of Webb  
Bros. in this issue. They are receiv-  
ing new spring goods and invite the  
ladies to call and see the many pretty  
new things they have to offer them.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wood left yester-  
day for Carlsbad, New Mexico, and  
will make that place their future  
home. Mr. and Mrs. Wood made  
many friends during their residence  
in Bryan and their departure is deep-  
ly regretted by all.

Miss Jess Johnson, a member of  
the Chapman Real Estate firm of Min-  
eral Wells, is in the city. Any one  
interested in Mineral Wells or Cle-  
burne property would do well to call  
to see her. She also has several sec-  
tions of valuable west Texas lands for  
sale. Telephone 404.

Dr. N. S. Grice has returned from  
Laredo. Frank Webb, Chas. Vesmi-  
rovsky, Joe Kopecky and Frank Stas-  
ney went on to Monterey. The Doc-  
tor says he saw plenty without going  
any further, and that he got enough  
Mexican cooking to do him quite a  
while.

58 inch white Union Linen table da-  
mask, sale price 23 cents per yard.  
12 1-2 cent huck towels, sale price 8  
cents. 30 inch linen huck towels,  
large size, sale price 21 cents. 1.25  
lace curtains, sale price 95 cents. 35  
cent yard wide white linen, 19 cents.  
Wilson & Derden.

Yesterday marked the opening of  
Lent and services were held at St.  
Andrew's Episcopal church at 11  
o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Services  
will be held each day during Lent by  
Dr. Duffy the rector, and a general  
announcement of the services appears  
at another place in this paper. The  
beginning of Lent was also observed  
with appropriate services yesterday  
at St. Joseph's Catholic church.

All linen sheeting \$1.50 per yard  
value, sale price today, \$1.19 per yard.  
\$1.50 long silk gloves, any shade, sale  
price 75 cents per pair. 6 1-2 cent  
yard wide bleach domestic, 4 cents.  
Wilson & Derden.



### The New Spring OXFORDS

Are now in, and the swellest  
lot you ever saw. New shapes  
and new toes in gun metal, pat-  
ent colt, tan Russia and vici kid.  
Ask to see the new street  
pumps, the latest thing out in  
low cut shoes for men.

Walkovers \$3.50 and \$4  
Nettletons \$5 and \$6

Parks & Waldrop  
The Clothiers

Mr. J. J. Gillam who was recently  
connected with the Eagle, has located  
at Mercedes near Brownsville. He is  
connected with a newspaper there and  
has invested in considerable business  
property. Mrs. Gillam has shipped  
their household effects to that place  
and after a short visit to relatives in  
Galveston, will go to their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Welch, formerly  
of Michigan, but for several years res-  
idents of the Philippine Islands, ar-  
rived yesterday direct from Manila  
and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W.  
Wiprecht. Mr. Welch and Mr. Wip-  
recht were in school together at one  
of the German Universities at Berlin,  
and have been close friends and kept  
in touch with each other ever since.

Big shipment of the season's new-  
est styles in Net Waists have arrived  
and we have decided to make them  
a drawing card during our "Two in  
One Sale." Some are made of em-  
brodered nets, beautiful in design  
and others of plain net with band  
and medallion trimming. These waists are  
valued at one fourth more than we  
ask for them. Your choice today  
\$2.75 to \$4.00. Sizes 34 to 42. Wilson  
& Derden.

#### Back From New York.

Mr. C. A. Lindsey has returned from  
New York where he spent the past  
month selecting an elegant stock of  
spring and summer goods for the firm  
of A. J. Wagner & Co. of which he is  
the manager. He reports a pleasant  
trip though there was a great deal of  
hard work connected with it.

Mr. Lindsey states that he found  
things in New York much easier than  
when there a year ago. The people  
are recovering from the panic and a  
better feeling prevails generally. His  
new goods are already arriving and  
Mr. Lindsey is positive the stock will  
meet every demand of this section.

#### Lenten Observances at St. Andrew's Church.

Evening prayer will be said in this  
church every day at 5 p. m. except  
Friday, when prayer will be held at  
7:30. At this service instead of a  
sermon a Bible Character will be  
studied. The character for Friday  
night is Adam. Questions on Biblical  
and religious subjects can be asked  
at any time and will be answered at  
the service following. Each service  
will close with the Penitential office.  
A very cordial invitation is given  
to all to attend these Lenten services,  
the object of which is that "the flesh  
may be subdued to the spirit."

#### Administrators Notice.

Any person having claims against  
the estate of W. A. Bell, will please  
present same at once.

JNO. K. PARKER,

Administrator.

#### Poultry Market.

Eggs, 10 to 12 1-2 cents.  
Hens, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00  
Friers, \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00  
Broilers, \$2.00 to \$2.50  
Geese, \$3.50 to \$4.00, unplucked  
Ducks, \$3.00 to \$3.50  
Guineas, \$2.00 to \$2.50  
Roosters or old Democrats, \$1.50 to  
\$2.00

Demand is excellent for all kinds  
of poultry. Egg market dull and on  
the decline.

#### Special Arrivals.

50 beautiful Linen tailored wash  
skirts just opened—Newest models,  
large pearl buttons and fold trimming;  
sale price \$1.10 to \$3.45. Worth 25  
per cent more. Ladies see them today.  
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For Sale—15 head of high grade  
Jersey cows fresh in milk. Hensar-  
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#### Embroideries and Laces

This lot of Embroideries and Laces are  
brand new.

5c Embroideries, per yard 4 1/2c

12 1/2c Embroideries, per yard 9c

15c Embroideries, per yard 11c

25c Embroideries, per yard 19c

8 1/2c Torchon Lace, per yard 5c

#### Embroidery Flouncing

\$1.00 a yard quality, per yard 75c

75c a yard quality, per yard 39c

\$1.00 a yard All-over Embroidery,  
per yard 83c

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10c a yard quality, per yard 8c

15c a yard quality, per yard 9c

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25c a yard value, per yard 19c

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35c a yard quality, per yard 23c

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75c a yard quality, per yard 69c

#### Linen Lawns

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50c a yard quality, per yard 39c

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25c a yard quality; per yard only 19c

#### Suitings

Colored Linen Pongee, 50c a yard  
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#### Shirt Waists

\$1.25 value, each—only 98c

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15c a yard quality, per yard 9c

#### English Long Cloth

Regular, 20c a yard quality in this  
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35c quality, each—only 23c  
(or \$2.75 a dozen)

15c quality, each—only 9c  
(or \$1.00 a dozen)

5c quality, each—only 4c

#### Table Linens

\$1.25 values, per yard—only 98c

\$1.00 values, per yard—only 73c

75c values, per yard—only 63c

50c values, per yard—only 43c

#### Napkins

\$1.00 value, per dozen—only 83c

\$2.50 value, per dozen—only \$2.13

\$3.50 value, per dozen—only \$2.98

#### Towels

10c value, each—only 8c

15c value, each—only 12c

25c value, each—only 19c

50c value, each—only 43c

#### Bed Sheets

50c value, 72x90, each—only 43c

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### They Knew the Pole.

Some years ago when Dr. Nansen visited Leeds on his return from the polar regions he was welcomed by a large crowd of spectators, who cheered vociferously. Two of the most ardent admirers of Nansen were a couple of old men, who kept shouting and waving their sticks. When the celebrated explorer had passed, immediately following in the wake of the carriage came a wagon dragged by three horses, bearing a long iron pole, which belonged to the electric tramways company.

Directly the old men saw it the following conversation took place:

"Well, I'll be blowed! Sitha, Bill, he's brout the pole back wi' him!" said one.

"Aye," said the other admirer of Nansen, "and we t' only two 'at's noticed it. There's all running after t' carriage. Sitha, there's that ignorant they can't tell t' pole when they see it."

### No More Cradles.

"A cradle?" said the salesman. "Oh, no! You don't want a cradle."

He smiled.

"First kid, ain't it?"

"Yes," admitted the young father, frowning.

"I knew you weren't experienced, or you wouldn't ask for a cradle," said the salesman. "You see, they've gone altogether out. We don't sell two a year."

"Why did they go out?"

"Because they're unhealthy, bad for the kid. They lower the temperature, hurt the heart and bring on nausea, colic, regular seasickness. It stands to reason that the violent rocking of a cradle can't be good for frail little baby any more than the violent rocking of a ship in a storm is good for the passengers. Moreover, they keep somebody busy rocking the baby to sleep. Now the baby goes to sleep of its own accord."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

### Fulfilling His Agreement.

Having become tired of living in rented houses, Mr. Gwimple had bought a home of his own. Not having enough money to pay for it outright, he had made a cash payment of \$1,000 and given a trust deed on the property for the remainder. One night, not long after he had taken possession of his new home, Mrs. Gwimple roused him from a deep sleep.

"Gerald," she said, "somebody is trying to get into the house!"

Mr. Gwimple crawled out of bed and started downstairs.

"What are you going to do?" she asked him.

"I'm going to let him in," he answered, half awake.

"To let him in! Who?"

"The man that holds the trust deed on this property," he mumbled. "The document I signed binds me to admit him to the premises at any hour of the day."—Youth's Companion.

### A Queen's Will.

Queen Adelaide, the wife of William IV., was a woman of great piety and exceptional humility, which was shown in the directions for her funeral.

"I die in all humility," she wrote, "knowing well we are all alike before the throne of God, and I request, therefore, that my mortal remains be conveyed to the grave without any pomp or ceremony. They are to be moved to St. George's chapel, Windsor, where I request to have a quiet funeral."

"I particularly desire not to be laid out in state, and the funeral to take place by daylight; no procession, the coffin to be carried by sailors to the chapel. I die in peace and wish to be carried to the tomb in peace and free from the vanities and pomp of this world."—London Home Notes.

### The Illusion of Night.

I sometimes fancy that every great city must have been built by night. At least it is only at night that every part of a great city is great. All architecture is great architecture after sunset. Perhaps architecture is really a nocturnal art, like the art of fireworks. At least I think many people of those nobler trades that work by night (journalists, policemen, burglars, coffee stall keepers and such mistaken enthusiasts as refuse to go home till morning) must often have stood admiring some black bulk of building with a crown of battlements or a crest of spires and then burst into tears at daybreak to discover that it was only a haberdashery's shop with huge gold letters across the face of it.—G. A. Chesterton in London News.

### Getting In Deeper.

"Who is that singing so dreadfully out of tune?"

"It is my wife."

"Perhaps the accompanist plays out of tune."

"She is accompanying herself."—Meggendorfer Blatter.

### One Recompense.

"That sheet iron clothing a chap had to wear during the middle ages must have been far from comfortable."

"Still, a fellow could have a permanent crease put in his trousers."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### Force of Habit.

Kilky—I did a very absentminded thing this morning. Street—What was it? Kilky—Offered a tip to the man who shaved my nose.—Boston Transcript.

### No Reason.

Braidson Tapes—Yes, I'm fired—discharged without any reason! Silksun Thredd—Well, you didn't have any when you took the job, did you?—Syracuse Herald.

### Several More Coming.

New York, Feb. 17.—H. H. Harriman, who is breathing the fresh air of Texas at the little tent colony near San Antonio, will be joined soon by his wife and daughter, Carol Harriman. They leave here for the south Thursday in one of the Harriman private cars. With them go Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gerry, Mrs. Robert Goelet and others.

### Pastor Arrested.

McKinney, Tex., Feb. 17.—Rev. W. V. Wilson, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal (Northern) church at Buckhill, was arrested and brought here, following the firing into the house of Tipp Bades of that town. The clergyman says he was shooting at a robber and accidentally fired into Mr. Bades' residence.

### Dismissed With Admonition.

San Antonio, Feb. 17.—Robert Walton Goelet, one of the Harriman party, was arrested on charge of exceeding automobile speed limit. The case was dismissed in police court with admonition against further violation of ordinance.

### Shocked to Death.

McAlester, Okla., Feb. 17.—Boyd Sharpe, twenty-eight years old, an electrician, while placing insulators on the interurban railway line caught hold of a trolley wire and was instantly killed.

### Fans Stolen From Church.

Dallas, Feb. 17.—Grace Methodist Episcopal church, South, was robbed of several ceiling electric fans and attachments to the value of about \$300.

### Over Hundred Conversions.

Dallas, Feb. 17.—During the Lockett Adair meeting at the Colonial Hill Presbyterian church there were over 100 conversions.

### Dr. Bull Dead.

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 17.—Dr. William T. Bull is dead. He had been ill for a long time. His case excited much interest among the medical fraternity.

### Sardou's Quip.

"Victorien Sardou hated shams," said a New York theatrical manager. "If you tried to impose on him he would call you down."

"At the Ambigu during a rehearsal he said he doubted an actor's statement that he had given forty hours of study to his lines."

"You doubt me?" said the actor hotly. "I assure you, M. Sardou, I have never lied but twice in my life."

"Sardou smiled dryly."

"Then this makes thrice, eh?" said he.

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